

PATENT APPLICATION

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Applicant: Allen et al.)	
Title: Use of Echinacea as a Poultry)	Group Art Unit:
Feed Additive to Enhance)	
Protection Against)	Examiner:
Coccidiosis)	
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Sir:

In compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56 Applicants herewith submit documents believed to be relevant to the above-identified patent application. The documents are listed on form PTO-1449 attached hereto. A copy of each document is enclosed.

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